Dear FCC and Mr. Powell,

Please resist the corporate convergence that is leading us into further conglomeratization of the media...media concentration decreases the free play of ideas in a democracy and stifles dissent. In this time of war on the Afghan people, we need open channels of free communication, not more media conglomerates spewing groupthink.

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